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October is [National Arts and Humanities Month](#)!

Governor Evers has proclaimed October [Arts and Humanities Month in Wisconsin](#)!

QUOTE OF THE DAY

"When we seek to discover the best in others, we somehow bring out the best in ourselves."
– William Arthur Ward

"An error does not become truth by reason of multiplied propagation, nor does truth become error because nobody sees it. Truth stands, even if there be no public support. It is self sustained." – Mahatma Gandhi

"Everything is complicated; if that were not so, life and poetry and everything else would be a bore." – Wallace Stevens

"I don't need to manufacture trauma in my life to be creative. I have a big enough reservoir of sadness or emotional trauma to last me." – Sting

"Between two evils, I always pick the one I never tried before." – Mae West

"I have had a perfectly wonderful evening, but this wasn't it." – Groucho Marx

VIDEO OF THE DAY

[Grand Theater kicks off virtual season](#)
WAOW

'Music masks' allow Milton Middle School band to play safely indoors
NBC 15 | WMTV

It's Always the Right Time to Play an Instrument
NAMM Foundation

Wisconsin artists and arts organizations, do you have video that you'd like us to consider sharing as the Wisconsin Arts News Video of the Day? Send the link to artsboard@wisconsin.gov!

TOP WISCONSIN NEWS

FROM THE WISCONSIN ARTS BOARD

NEW National Endowment chairman: Arts needed more than ever | Commentary
Orlando Sentinel

NEW Happy 55th Birthday to the National Endowment for the Arts
Art Works Blog | National Endowment for the Arts

NEW Taking Note: Pre-Pandemic Factors Driving (or Deterring) Arts Participation
Art Works Blog | National Endowment for the Arts

For resources to help you move through this current crisis, please check out our [COVID-19 and the arts in Wisconsin webpage](#)

NEW Creation and Presentation Grant Program
Wisconsin Arts Board
Deadline: October 8

NEW Industry/Discipline Specific Listening Sessions

Wisconsin Arts Board and Arts Wisconsin

October 15

9 am | Local Arts Councils

10:30 am | Community Theaters

Noon | Professional Theaters

October 22

9 am | Musical Groups

10:30 am | Museums and Art Centers

To participate in these listening sessions:

Online: www.zoom.us/j/4601378823 | meeting ID: 460-137-8823

Phone: +1 312 626 6799 | meeting ID: 460 137 8823

NEW Woodland Indian Arts Initiative Grant Program

Wisconsin Arts Board

Deadline: October 29

NEW NCN Articles of Interest | October 2, 2020

National Creativity Network

Job Opportunities

Job Opportunity | Director of Programs

Arts@Large

Deadline: Until Filled

Executive Director | Bergstrom Mahler Museum of Glass

The QTI Group

Deadline: Until Filled

Member Services Associate

Museum of Wisconsin Art

Deadline: Until Filled

Deadlines | Resources | Events

CODASummit Virtual: The Intersection of Art, Technology and Place

CODAworx.com

Through October 2

Deals Co-op Program

TravelWisconsin.com

Through December 31

The Arts Midwest and Western Arts Alliance 2020 Joint Conference

Arts Midwest & Western Arts Alliance

Optional Pre-Conference Programs: October 1 & 2 | Virtual Event

Main Conference: October 6 – 9, 2020 | Virtual Event

Workshop #9: Music Digital Marketing

Backline

October 3

2020 Wisconsin Leadership Summit

Madison 365

October 5 – 9 | virtual Event

NEW Creative Women Leading Climate Action

UMass Arts Extension Service

October 8, 15

Fire Safety and Preparedness for Performing Arts Organizations

Performing Arts Readiness project, ArtsReady

October 14

Host an Event

Wisconsin Science Festival

October 15 – 18

Land and Equity: The Art and Politics of Place

Alliance for the Arts in Research Universities

October 15 - 30 | Online

Summit 2020

NACEDA

October 21 – 23

22nd Annual NDEO Conference — Dance and Society: Developing Community, Empathy, and Understanding Through Dance

National Dance Education Organization

October 23 – 25 | Virtual Event

ArtPlace Virtual Summit

ArtPlace America

October 26 – 30 | Virtual

OVERTURE FORUMS: Intermission Edition

Overture Center for the Arts

October 26 | Overture's Vital Role in the Community (Registration at a later date)

November 23 | Downtown Madison Recovery (Registration at a later date)

NEW Grants for Humanities Programs

Wisconsin Humanities

Deadline: November 1 | Mini Grant Applications

Deadline: December 15 | Major Grant Applications

Wisconsin Fall Tourism Conference

Destinations Wisconsin

November 5

2020 National Young Artists Summit: An Artistic Youth Revolution

Creative Youth Development National Partnership

November 6-8, 2020 | Virtual Event

2020 Grantmakers in the Arts Conference: The Remix: Reimagining Power and Practice

Grantmakers in the Arts

November 9 – 23 | Virtual Event

NEW [Gener8tor adds new OnRamp conference for entertainment industry](#)

Wisconsin INNO

November 12

[Toward One Wisconsin Conference](#)

Wisconsin Institute for Public Policy and Service

November 12 – 13 | Virtual Event

[AIGA Design Conference](#)

AIGA

November 12 - 14 | Pittsburgh, PA

[Six IMLS Museum Grant Opportunities Now Open](#)

Institute of Museum and Library Services

Deadline: November 16

[National Guild 83rd Annual Conference for Community Arts Education](#)

National Guild for Community Arts Education

November 18 – 21 | New York, NY

NEW [Announcing Online Intensives to Address Fundraising and Capital Projects in the Pandemic Era](#)

Devos Institute of Arts Management

November 20 | Advancing Capital Infrastructure Projects During A Period of Uncertainty

November 23 | Catalytic Fundraising in the Pandemic Era

[Artists Sunday™ National Art Shopping Movement and Campaign: Artists and Organizations Across the United States Unite to Encourage Consumers to Shop with Artists and Craftsmen the Sunday after Thanksgiving](#)

Artists Sunday

November 29

[Quarterly Meeting](#)

Wisconsin Arts Board

December 4 | Milwaukee

NEW DATES [National Arts Marketing Project Conference](#)

Americans for the Arts

December 7 – 8 | Virtual

[Believe in Music Week](#)

NAMM

Begins January 18

POSTPONED [2020 Conference](#)

Association of Midwest Museums & Wisconsin Federation of Museums

July 2021 | Milwaukee

The print version of the 2020 Arts & Crafts Fair Directory is available and may be ordered [here](#).

TravelWisconsin.com

If you'd prefer to view the Directory online, click [here](#).

Online Workshops and Conversations

Creative Capital

Various

IN THE NEWS

Visual Arts/Museums

Artist Spotlight | Nikisha Johnson

Fox Cities Magazine

A High-Tech Twin for a Renaissance Masterpiece

The New York Times

A New Report on Transnational Crime Shows That the Business of Smuggling Cultural Property Is Not as Big as People Think

artnet news

Arts and Creativity in Education

Chilton Public Schools Adapts to Online Learning

NAMM Foundation

Hmong American Peace Academy Leaders Celebrate New Building

Urban Milwaukee

Dana Munro: Our children don't need saving, they need media literacy skills

The Capital Times

UW-Madison lays off Continuing Studies staff, cuts programs due to financial losses from pandemic

The Daily Cardinal

Voting ambassadors: Through art, music and literature, UW's Odyssey students argue the case for going to the polls

Isthmus

Taking love of comics to a new level

The Dunn County News

Community Arts

[An 'Existential Threat': Report Details Challenges for State Arts and Cultural Organizations](#)
Door County Pulse

[Historic Commission Adopts Mural Guidelines - Guidelines would prohibit murals on historic buildings on all but the least seen sides.](#)
Urban Milwaukee

[Wisconsin Latino Chamber of Commerce wins US Hispanic 2020 Chamber of the Year Award](#)
Madison 365

[Opinion: As we light the Hoan Bridge, a bright idea takes shape on Milwaukee's lakefront](#)
Milwaukee Journal Sentinel

Literary Arts/Libraries

[Delayed plan for King Library and affordable apartments adds new partner as developers again seek financing](#)
Milwaukee Journal Sentinel

[This Book Delivery Service Introduces a New Way to Get Your Next Read](#)
Milwaukee Magazine

[Publishers Worry as Ebooks Fly off Libraries' Virtual Shelves](#)
WIRED

[Anthony Cody | brd](#)
Poem-a-Day, Poets.org

Media Arts

[Movie Theater Rescue Called For By Top Filmmakers, NATO, MPA, DGA In Letter To Congress: "Theaters May Not Survive"](#)
Deadline

Also
[Hollywood fears movie theaters 'may not survive' COVID-19 pandemic](#)
Los Angeles Times

[On the Future of \(Going to the\) Movies](#)
WIRED

Performing Arts

Music

[See latest progress of historic renovation of Grand Theatre by MSO: Slideshow](#)
Milwaukee Business Journal

Theater

[Mellon Foundation to Provide \\$5 Million to Aid Black Theaters](#)

The New York Times

[New possible health care benefit rule roils theater world](#)

Madison.com, AP

Other

[Washington state Attorney General Bob Ferguson sues Brown Paper Tickets](#)

The Seattle Times

[10 Tips to Inspire In-Memoriam Giving](#)

NonProfit Pro

WHEN YOU GO

Visual Arts/Museums

[Force of Nature: A Virtual Art Exhibit by Georgia Weithe and Helen Klebesadel](#)

Helen R. Klebesadel Blog

Through December 26

[Annual Winter Juried Show Opening Day](#)

Mt. Pleasant Patch

October 11 – January 10

[Ash Kyrie](#)

Isthmus

October 16 – 31

[Winter Wonders is coming back to Boerner Botanical Gardens with new displays and more than 100 million lights](#)

Milwaukee Journal Sentinel

November 20 – January 3

[Manitowoc artist Sonia Vasquez to focus on diversity in portrait project at Rahr-West](#)

Manitowoc Herald Times Reporter

Series

Community Arts

[La Crosse Local, The Weber Center: Set the date for A Christmas Show to debut Saturday December 19, 2020](#)

WisBusiness.com

Filming | November 7 – 8
Show | December 19

Arts & Culture
Madison Magazine
Various

Media Arts

On Wisconsin: Great Lakes Now television series begins airing on PBS Wisconsin
Great Lakes Now
Various

Performing Arts

Theater

Missing American Players Theatre? Take a walk in the woods, and listen
The Capital Times
Through October 18

Other

Wisconsin Science Festival
Madison 365
October 15 – 18

OPPORTUNITIES

Milwaukee Neighborhood Arts Collective Application Form
Marcus Center for the Performing Arts
Deadline: Until Filled

National Leadership Grants for Libraries
Institute of Museum and Library Services
Deadline: October 2

Promoting Research on Music and Health: Phased Innovation Award for Music Interventions (R61/R33 Clinical Trial Optional)
National Institutes of Health and National Endowment for the Arts
Deadline: October 2

Light Valley Junction" permanent artwork
The City of West Des Moines
Deadline: October 2

Eighteenth Cycle of Fellowship Program for Visual Artists Announced

Urban Milwaukee

Deadline: October 8

Creation and Presentation Grant Program

Wisconsin Arts Board

Deadline: October 8

Entries Welcome for Bennett Prize for Women Figurative Realist Painters

RFPs | Philanthropy News Digest

Deadline: October 16

Woodland Indian Arts Initiative Grant Program

Wisconsin Arts Board

Deadline: October 29

2021 "Art on the Campus" temporary exhibit

The City of West Des Moines

Deadline: October 30

Make a Nomination | NEA Jazz Masters

National Endowment for the Arts

Deadline: October 30

Wisconsin 4-H foundation launches art contest

Tomah Journal

Deadline: November 1

2020 OOHPs Snowdance Playwriting Competition

Over Our Head Players

Deadline: November 1

Grammy Museum® Grant Program: 2021 Letter of Inquiry Online

Grammy.com

Deadline: November 1

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Wisconsin Humanities

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Performing Arts Japan (PAJ) Program

Japan Foundation New York

Deadline: November 2

Communities, Creativity, and Imagination: On the National Medal for Museum and Library Service

Institute of Museum and Library Services

Deadline: November 2

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Artists Sunday

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Submit to BR!NK 2021

Renaissance Theaterworks

Deadline: November 30

Radcliffe Institute Accepting Applications for Fellowship Program

RFPs | Philanthropy News Digest

Various

Beyond Words: the Dollar General School Library Relief Fund

Awards & Grants | American Library Association

Deadline: None. Monthly Review

Pollock-Krasner Foundation Accepting Grant Applications From Artists in Need

RFPs | Philanthropy News Digest

Deadline: Open

Artfully Reimagined Invites Submissions for 'Reimagine It' Grants

RFPs | Philanthropy News Digest

Deadline: Open

Foundation for Contemporary Art Accepting Applications for Emergency Grants

RFPs | Philanthropy News Digest

Deadline: Open

Adolph & Esther Gottlieb Accepting Applications for Emergency Grants

RFPs | Philanthropy News Digest

Deadline: Open

Open Grant Solicitations

Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs | US Department of State

Various

Scholastic Art & Writing Awards Invites Entries From Creative Teens

RFP | Philanthropy News Digest

Deadline: Various

NALAC Unveils New Funding For Latinx Artists

National Association of Latino Arts and Cultures

Various Deadlines

Craft Emergency Relief Fund Accepting Applications From Craftspeople in Need

Philanthropy News Digest

Deadline: Open

Artfully Reimagined Invites Submissions for 'Reimagine It' Grants

RFPs | PND

Deadline: Open

Shubert Foundation Accepting Applications for Performing Arts Grants

RFPs | Philanthropy News Digest

Deadline: Various

Scholastic Art & Writing Awards Invites Entries From Creative Teens

Philanthropy News Digest

Deadlines: Various

Local Systems

The Kresge Foundation

No Deadline

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